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SMALL DOSES

Gasoline is now selling at Camp Taylor at 19 cents a gallon.

Send your order for meats and canned goods to Postmaster Joe Mosley.

Maj. Henry J. Stites writes from Paris that he is due home September 1st.

Street car fares in Chicago have been increased from 5 cents to seven cents.

When will Hopkinsville get prices reduced on these things we hear about in other cities?

Times have changed when we get milk at the drug store and groceries at the postoffice.

Gen Foch has told Belgium to go ahead and take Malmédy awarded to her by the peace treaty.

The Americans will retain headquarters at Coblenz. They think they will see things clearer through Coblenz.

London learns that the United States has sent an ultimatum to Rumania demanding the harsh terms to Bulgaria be softened.

John A. Black, of Barbourville, a brother of Governor Black, and his three sons are all past masters of the Masonic Lodge at Barbourville. Gov. Black himself is Past Grand Master.

A skeleton 18 feet tall has been unearthed near Seymour, Tex. Most of us can remember seeing men that big, in the dark, when we were little boys and didn't want to go on errands.

A Chicago man named Plumb has come forward with a plan to reorganize railroads. The best plan is for the government to return the roads to their owners and guarantee them protection in operating them in their own way.

The allies have not altered their decision to hold the trial of the former German emperor in London. Andrew Bonar Law, government leader, announced in the House of Commons. He said no action in the matter could be taken until the German peace treaty is ratified.

Captain King Swope, who defeated Judge Charles A. Hardin for the vacancy in congress from the Eighth district, due to the death of Congressman Harvey Helm, is the first Republican to be sent to the House from the Eighth since Congressman Davison defeated John B. Thompson in 1896. Captain King Swope is a lawyer of Danville and based his campaign on an appeal to the soldier vote.

WILSON TELLS HINES TO DECIDE

SENATE COMMITTEE GIVES WILSON POWER TO ACT IN RAILROAD STRIKE

THE MEN MUST RESUME WORK

Appeals to Men to Help Solve High Living Cost by Aiding in Food Transportation.

Washington, Aug. 8.—President Wilson last night notified Director General Hines that he was authorized to take up the demands of the railroad shop employees for higher wages and decide them on their merits.

The president said the letter sent him by Senator Cummins, chairman of the committee on interstate commerce, "had set me free to deal as I think best with the difficult question of certain classes of employees," but he added:

"The chief obstacle to a decision has been created by the men themselves. They have gone out on a strike and repudiated the authority of their officers at the very moment when they were urging action in regard to their interests."

The president's decision was announced tonight from the white house in the form of a letter sent by him to Mr. Hines. The president said that "until the employees return to work and again recognize the authority of their organization the whole matter must be at a standstill."

President Has a Message

Gives to Congress His Ideas On the Remedy For The High Cost Of Living Maintained By Profiteers

ASKS EXTENSION OF THE LEVER ACT
Continuation of Lever Food Act as Peace Measure Is One Recommendation-Government to Make Public Cost on All Articles

Washington, Aug. 8.—President Wilson put the finishing touches on his high cost of living address and is ready to deliver it in person to Congress this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The address will be confined to laying before congress what measures, in the opinion of the President and of the sub-committee appointed by Attorney General Palmer, should be enacted at once to bring relief to the public from the existing high prices.

All the elements that help create the condition the country finds itself in today in the view of these men will be dealt with. These include, it was learned authoritatively, labor problems and strikes resulting from them and production which would be interfered with by strikes.

The President will ask for an extension of the Lever food control act to make it applicable as a peace time measure and to include all commodities, shoes, clothing and life necessities as well as food.

This much as to the contents of the address was learned after President Wilson had called into conference members of the cabinet and the Palmer sub-committee and revised it to meet their suggestions.

It is considered probably by officials that the president also will suggest the necessity of throwing the "full light of publicity" on the question of costs, with a view of enabling the public to protect itself against extortion. This idea may even go so far as to include marking the cost of manufacture on the article.

PROFITEERS HUNT COVER

Meat Prices Take a Tumble in Louisville As Prosecution Looms Up.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 8.—Simultaneous with the declaration of war on food profiteers by the Government, prices of meats took a tumble of from one to three cents a pound in Louisville.

Within the past three days, nearly every kind of meat with the exception of pork on foot has decreased in price.

The market value of bacon dropped three dollars on the barrel Wednesday. Yesterday the price was raised \$1.50 on the barrel, but the market closed with the price still \$1.50 lower than last day. Beef prices dropped \$2 a hundred pounds; lamb, \$2; smoked sides, \$1.

Criminal Suits Against Packers.
Washington, Aug. 8.—The Government's case against the five big packers will be placed before the federal grand jury, which meets at Chicago three weeks hence. This means that criminal prosecution will be instituted.

Charles F. Clyne, federal district attorney at Chicago, said that besides asking indictment under the criminal sections of the Sherman anti-trust law, civil suits would be brought under that statute and that in addition the packers would be prosecuted under the food control act on charges of hoarding.

Mr. Clyne has been in Washington for several days conferring with Attorney General Palmer and Geo. R. Williams, who prosecuted the oil trust cases. The three officials have been sifting the evidence gathered against the packers by the federal trade commission. Four hundred different branches of the industry as conducted by the packers, Mr. Clyne said, are being dealt with by the department of justice.

To Increase Parcel Post Limits.

Authority to increase temporarily the parcel post weight limit to 125 pounds, so that the buyers of army food may take full advantage of opportunity to purchase through postmasters and letter carriers, was granted the postmaster general today by the interstate commerce commission. It was also announced that during the sale buyers might place several orders without paying the initial postage charge of five cents a pound more than once.

The Kentuckian \$2.00 a year.

BOY SCOUTS ON BIG CAMP

Will Leave Wednesday for Glenwood Mill For Week's Outing.

Early Wednesday morning all the Boy Scouts of Hopkinsville will leave for the annual week's camp toward which they look with eager expectation through every year. The Scouts all over the country have earned a place in the hearts of the American people by the noble work they did in the World War and every Hopkinsville Scout has earned his week of pleasure. Nothing can do a boy more real good than a camp out in the open. The fresh air, the swim before breakfast, the hike through the woods and lastly the guidance and advice of the Scoutmaster all help to make the American Scout a better man in the days to come.

Dr. A. S. Anderson, Capt. Riley Butler and Frank H. Mason will be in charge of the boys and will see that there are no casualties.

This year a cook will be taken along and a big kitchen range has been provided. In the past the boys have stood all the expense but this year there has been inaugurated a movement to help pay the expenses of the camp and try to put Camp Glenwood on a permanent basis. Ed L. Weathers, B. D. Hill and R. C. Ware are the members appointed to raise the necessary funds. Mr. Weathers will be treasurer. So come across, men of Hopkinsville. Give the boys a life. Don't wait until the committee comes to you but hunt up Mr. Weathers and give him some cash or mail him a check.

ONLY 38 ARRESTS DURING THE MONTH OF JULY

There were only 38 arrests during the month of July by the city police during July, 17 of them for violation of the new automobile ordinance last year for the same month there were 168 arrests under the wet regime. Fifty or more were for drunkenness.

Good Sale.
A very successful sale of personal property and farm implements was held on the farm of T. E. Roberts at Oak Grove Wednesday. All the articles offered were in good condition and this caused the bidding to be lively and the sale the success it was.

At the General Delivery Wicket:
White folks, is they a ham bone here for George Washington Jones?

BARBECUE DECIDED ON

FERRELL'S BOYS TO HAVE OLD TIME FEED, REGARDLESS OF HIGH PRICES

A BIG TIME IN STORE FOR ALL

Assemble On Thursday Evening and Spend All Day Friday at Lake Tandy.

The executive committee of Ferrell's Boys met Thursday night in the county court room and outlined the program for the reunion next week, and appointed sub-committees. The committee consists of the following:

Geo. E. Gary, chairman; Jeff Garrett, A. W. Wood, G. H. Champlin, W. A. Glass, W. T. Cooper, Leslie P. P'Pool, Jas. A. McKenzie, A. C. Overshiner and C. H. Tandy. Chas. M. Meacham, President, and Ira L. Smith, Treasurer, were present.

Other local members were John Stites, E. C. Radford, R. M. Fairleigh, V. M. Williamson and W. S. Davison. Much enthusiasm was shown and after a general discussion the following program was agreed upon:

Thursday, August 14.
Assemble in the city without formal program. Rides about city. Renewal of friendships. At night assemble at Elks' Home and probably go in a body to band concert at Virginia Park. Program in charge of Entertainment Committee, Jas. A. McKenzie, chairman.

Friday, August 15.
Transported in autos to Lake Tandy for all-day meeting. Barbecue dinner and such festivities as may be arranged by committees. The following committees were named:

Reception.
Executive Committee and all local members.

Entertainment.
Jas. A. McKenzie, John Stites, A. W. Wood, Jas. West, Ira L. Smith.

Transportation.
R. M. Fairleigh, Rodman Meacham, E. C. Radford, Jeff J. Garrett, J. T. Waller, F. D. Trice.

Boating.
Jas. West, W. T. Cooper, G. L. Campbell, A. W. Wood, W. S. Davison.

Barbecue.
A. C. Overshiner, W. S. Davison, W. A. Glass, W. C. Cook, R. C. Gary. On Securing Elks' Home.

G. H. Champlin, V. M. Williamson. THESE ACCEPT

Jacob H. Cohn, Lawrence, Kan.

Ike Lipstine, Atlanta, Ga.

Robt. E. Johnson, Henderson, Ky.

C. S. Bradshaw, Pembroke, Ky.

R. A. Rogers, City.

John B. Garth, Trenton, Ky.

R. L. Owen, Guthrie, Ky.

C. H. Tandy, City.

J. S. Ledford, county.

C. A. Ogden, City.

Lew Weber, Owensboro, Ky.

W. M. Hoke, Birmingham, Ala.

V. C. Pettie, Jonesboro, Ark.

G. L. Campbell, city.

Kanston Cross, Memphis.

W. B. Wash, City.

J. P. Cheaney, St. Louis, Mo.

Walter Wharton, Cadiz, Ky.

L. A. Summers, Gracey, Ky.

E. S. Boales, Paris, Tenn.

Ira L. Smith, City.

Garner E. Dalton, city.

A. W. Wood, city.

E. C. Major, city.

W. R. BRUMFIELD BATTERY FROM KNOX

Wilson Major Place of 131 Acres On Canton Pike Brings \$167.50 an Acre.

The fine farm of Wilson Major, on the Canton pike, containing 131 acres, was sold by Madison Major, Admr. for division, at public auction, Thursday for \$167.50. It was knocked off to W. R. Brumfield, after spirited bidding. Col. A. S. Tribble was the auctioneer and conducted the sale with his customary dispatch. Possession will be given January 1st.

Mrs. Bell Sells House.
Mrs. C. D. Bell has sold her new cottage at No. 24 West Seventh St., to Wm. Kimmons, who will occupy it temporarily when he vacates his house on Main street, sold to Dr. Gant Gaither.

H. H. Wallace, city.
G. H. Champlin, City.
Chas. M. Meacham, city.
Geo. E. Gary, city.
E. C. Radford, city.
Leslie P'Pool, city.
V. M. Williamson, city.
W. T. Wadlington, Trigg county.
T. N. Wadlington, Trigg county.
A. C. Overshiner, city.
John Stites, city.
Jas. A. McKenzie, city.
R. C. Gary, county.
R. M. Fairleigh, city.
W. S. Davison, city.

Military Roll.

Col. M. H. Crump, Bowling Green, teacher.

(F. T. Glasgow, Lexington, Va., (probably,) teacher.

The following Boys have served their country as soldiers or sailors:

Brig. Gen. Logan Feland, '82, U. S. M.

Capt. Jacob E. Crider, '95, U. S. A.

Capt. Rodman Meacham, '10, U. S. Eng.

Lieut. Lawson B. Flack, '01, Nat'l Guard.

Lieut. Henry D. Wallace, '03, U. S. S.

E. L. Cary, '00, U. S. N.

Thos. P. Goldthwaite, '03, U. S. A.

Capt. B. G. Nelson, '82, National Guard.

John Stites, 96, war 1898 and Training Camp.

Capt. F. P. Thomas, U. S. Medical Corps.

Bowling S. Wood, U. S. A.

Roy L. Loewenthal, U. S. A.

Jas. M. Wootten, '94, in war of 1898.

The "Absentees."

A list has been compiled of those who have died since the last meeting, in August, 1916, which is as follows:

J. Ed Bronaugh, Howell, Ky., Nov. 6, 1917.

Ed T. Campbell, St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 18, 1916.

Will Collins, McAlester, Okla., Oct. 17, 1918.

E. Lee Ellis, Hopkinsville, Oct. 25, 1917.

Lawson B. Flack, Hopkinsville, 1918.

John Feland, Hopkinsville, Oct. 7, 1918.

Jas. R. Gaines, Gracey, Ky., May 29, 1918.

Dudley Garth, Trenton, Ky., Feb. 16, 1917.

Roy L. Loewenthal, Evansville, November 15, 1918.

Pope Miller, Pembroke, April 11, 1918.

Harry F. Robertson, Wichita Falls, Texas, March 6, 1919.

C. C. Slaughter, Nashville, Dec. 31, 1916.

Henry D. Wallace, Sr., Hopkinsville, April 17, 1919.

Henry D. Wallace, Jr., Hopkinsville, Oct. 7, 1918.

P. E. Warfield, Casky, 1918.

Four of them were soldiers. Corp. Will Collins in the war of 1898, Lieut. Lawson Flack in the border campaign of 1917 and Lieut. H. D. Wallace, Jr. and Roy L. Loewenthal in the war of 1918. All died from disease.

Of this list Bronaugh, Flack, Feland, Gaines, Garth, Loewenthal and the two Wallaces all attended the last meeting. They will be missed.

Big Military Program for Fair Week, With Aeroplane, Guns and Band.

The directors of the Pennyroyal Fair have been fortunate in securing an unusual attraction for the entire week.

Capt. C. M. Howard, of the 81st Field Artillery, who is recruiting men, was here Thursday and arranged to return on August 22 and remain for ten days. As a fair attraction Capt. Howard's battery of seven officers and 40 men will be here all during the fair.

They will take part in the soldiers' parade on the 27th, together with the equipment. In the battery there are four 75 in. guns, eight four-wheel drive ammunition trucks, one caterpillar tractor, a big Curtiss airplane and a military band from Camp Knox.

On the 27th there will be a sham battle between the airplane and the guns. Several exhibition flights will also be made by the aviator.

Since Capt. Howard began recruiting May 22 he had secured something over 200 men. Recruits are between the ages of 18 and 41.

FEARS PLACE IS SOLD TO WILLIAM B. WASH

In the Master Commissioner's sale Monday of the real estate of the late E. P. Fears, the home place on South Main street was bought in by the only child, Mrs. F. S. Cunningham, who inherited two-thirds of the estate, at \$5400. Mrs. Cunningham on Wednesday sold the place to W. B. Wash, at an advance of \$200. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham expect to remove to Colorado.

COLDTHWAITE HOUSE SOLD

Handsome Residence on South Virginia, Bought By C. W. Garrett.

Mrs. Willie F. Goldthwaite has sold her home on Virginia street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth, to Cliff W. Garrett, of Howell. Possession will be given November 1st. The house is a two-story frame, one of the three lots sold by the Baptist church in 1894.

Mr. Garrett expects to move to town early in November. Mrs. Goldthwaite's plans have not been announced.

AGED CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

J. H. Harrison Dies Unexpectedly At His Home on Jesup Ave.

J. H. Harrison was taken by death Wednesday morning at his home on Jesup Avenue. He was over seventy years of age and in feeble health but his condition was not regarded as serious.

Mr. Harrison was a devout Christian and a member of the Antioch Church, on his farm, near which most of his life was spent. He lived in the city only about two years. His wife and adopted daughter survive him. Burial was at Antioch church.

Two Quick Moves.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kimmons moved into their cottage on Seventeenth Street, vacating the Main street home sold to Dr. Gaither, who moved at once into the house vacated.